



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: R. A. WIEDEMAN ET AL

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS PROVIDING SUPPRESSION OF SYSTEM ACCESS BY

USE OF CONFIDENCE POLYGONS,

**VOLUMES AND SURFACES IN A MOBILE** 

SATELLITE SYSTEM

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**RESPONSE** 

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2003 in Paper No. 5. The rejections as they pertain to the patentability of the claims are hereby respectfully traversed.